


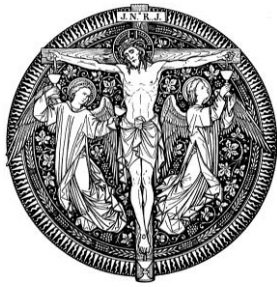
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STAYING CONNECTED	THE FSSP	DONATIONS
<p>PARISH ONLINE NEWSLETTER To receive the bulletin and important announcements online, call the Parish Office to register.</p> <p>NEW PARISHIONERS Registration forms are available in the Parish Office or Bookstore.</p>	<p>St. Stephen the First Martyr is a personal parish of the Diocese of Sacramento. It is served by priests of the Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter.</p> 	<p>ST. BERNADETTE FUND Please consider giving to those in need. Donations can be made online or in the Parish Office.</p> <p>ONLINE GIVING Available at the parish website. www.sacfssp.com</p>
<p>Envelopes are very helpful for our bookkeeping. Please pick them up in the Parish Office or Bookstore.</p>		

LITURGICAL CALENDAR



4 November 2018
4th Resumed Sunday after Epiphany

Sun. 4 Nov.	4th Resumed Sunday after Epiphany, II
8:00 am	Sorin Marinesco
10:30 am	Pro Populo
1:30 pm	Justin Greco & Family
6:00 pm	†Narciso Costales
Mon. 5 Nov.	Feria, IV
7:00 am	Priest Private FSSP Intention
12:15 pm	Requiem Mass FSSP & Confraternity
Tu. 6 Nov.	Feria, IV
7:00 am	All Souls Novena
6:30 pm	All Souls Novena
Wed. 7 Nov.	Feria, IV
7:00 am	All Souls Novena
12:15 pm	All Souls Novena
Th. 8 Nov.	Feria, IV
7:00 am	†Kenneth Morris Lien
6:30 pm	Requiem Mass FSSP
Fri. 9 Nov.	Ded. of Archbas. of Our Holy Savior, II
7:00 am	†Ursula Uclaray
12:15 pm	Meredith Pilegaard
6:30 pm	†Barbara Lyons
Sat. 10 Nov.	St. Andrew Avellino, Confessor, III
7:00 am	Kasak Family
9:00 am	†Warren Douglas Smerud

PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS

Barbara Graichen, Sue McGrath, Sandy Sneary, John Newaz, Jim Carlson, Darryl Gallagher, Fr. Goodwin, Margaret Northan, Jean Haun, Helen DiCarlo, Barbara Cogan, Ramon and Robert Daley, Liz Nicolini, William (Pat) Cummings, Lorraine Peterson, John Testa, Mitzi Vandenburg, Richard Cummings, Gretchen Medel, Dario Gonzalez, Rick Rabenau, "Holly" Hollingsworth, Michael Cuellar, Mike De Santis, Ken Taylor, Michelle di Giovanni, Barbara Jeong, Carol Cummings, Joan Rutschow, Patricia Quinn, Gordon Adler

PARISH GROUPS

Altar Guild	Mike Solton
<i>Boys 10 - 18, Third Saturday</i>	916-832-2859
Choir & Music Classes	Keven Smith
<i>Youth & Adults, Sun. & Wed.</i>	ksmith_writer@yahoo.com
Sodality of the BVM	Amy Rutschow
<i>Girls 14 - 18, First Saturday</i>	916-340-5782
Rosa Mystica	Sue McGrath
<i>Girls 9 - 13, First Saturday</i>	916-531-3946
Little Flowers	Katie Scarry
<i>Girls 5 - 8, First Saturday</i>	530-945-6947
Bible Study	Fr. Dominic Savoie, FSSP
<i>Adults, Thursday</i>	frsavoie@fssp.com
OLSW Co-op	Keetje Terzo
<i>Ages 14 - 18, Tuesday & Thursday</i>	kterzo@hotmail.com
CCM Co-op	Krista Williams
<i>Ages 3 - 14, Friday</i>	916-955-6437
Youth Group	Liz Hernandez
<i>Ages 14 - 18, Second & Fourth Friday</i>	916-396-4062
Chesterton Society	Spencer Roundtree
<i>Adults, Second Tuesday</i>	sac.chesterton@gmail.com
Knights of Columbus, Council #16419	Mike McVean
<i>Adult men, Third Wednesday</i>	916-747-3021
Holy League	Mike Rund
<i>Adult men, Third Wednesday</i>	916-218-0096
Altar Linen & Flowers Society	Tomoko McDonough
<i>Adult women, Third Saturday</i>	mcdonoughmommy6@gmail
Church Flowers	Greta Munsill
<i>Friday</i>	916-425-7112
Church Cleaning	Eli Gonzalez
<i>Thursday</i>	916-395-7408
Ushers	Patrick Risse
<i>Sunday</i>	patrickgeraldrisse@gmail.com
Coffee & Donuts	Liz Hernandez
<i>Sunday</i>	916-396-4062
Collection Count Crew	Kelly Manstch
<i>Monday</i>	Parish Office 916-451-5114
Brown Bag Lunch Program	Maureen Olguin
<i>Sunday</i>	jmolguin5960@att.net
St. Vincent de Paul Society	William Giovannetti
<i>First & Third Sunday</i>	916-531-4730
Security	Patrick Clemons
<i>Parish Events</i>	916-717-0244

IN MEMORIAM

George Lane, William Eckerman, Msgr. Edward Kavanaugh, Roy Nelson, Lamberto Pangilinan, Lucille Duarte, Fr. Francis Lawlor, Barbara Lyons, Norman Sayles, Penny Hummell, Charles Bardin, Shawn Williams, Marcial Cristi, Louise Szabo, Gerald Foy, Mieczysław Jasinski, Joseph Murphy

FROM THE PASTOR

COMPLINE

*from The Divine Office: A Study of the Roman Breviary
by Rev. E.J. Quigley*

Etymology and synonym. The word compline comes from the Latin word *complere*, to complete, to finish, because this Hour completes or finishes the day Hours of the Office. It bore several names, *Completa* (St. Isidore), *Initium noctis* (St. Columbanus), *Prima noctis hora* (St. Fructeux).

Antiquity. The origin of this Hour has given rise to a great deal of controversy. Both Baumer and Battifol in their histories of the Breviary attribute the origin of this Hour to St. Benedict (480-543). Other scholars attribute its origin to St. Basil, and hence date it from the fourth century. It is admitted that before the time of St. Basil, Bishop of Caesarea (370-379) this Hour was in existence. Some hold that St. Basil established the Hour in the East and St. Benedict in the West. The latter certainly invested the Hour with the liturgical character and arrangement which were preserved by the Benedictines and adapted by the Roman Church. The Compline of the Roman Church is more ornate and solemn than the liturgy assigned to this Hour by St. Benedict, which was very simple. The addition of the response *In manus tuas Domine*, the *Nunc dimittis* and its anthem of the Blessed Virgin make this Hour one of great beauty.

Structure. The structure of the Hour seems to point to its monastic origin, "The reader begins, 'Pray, Father, a blessing' (*jube, domne benedicere*); the blessing, 'The Lord Almighty grant us a quiet night and a perfect end. Amen.' 'Noctem quietam....' Then follows a short lesson, which the Father Abbot gave to his monks. 'Brethren, be sober and watch; because your adversary, the devil, as a roaring lion, goeth about, seeking whom he may devour, whom resist ye, strong in faith. But Thou, O Lord, have mercy on us.' And the monks answer 'Thanks be to God.' 'Fratres sobrii estote et vigilate....' Then the Pater Noster (silently), and the presiding priest, who was the Abbot or his deputy, said the confiteor and the choir answered *Misereatur....* 'May Almighty God have mercy upon thee and forgive thee thy sins, and bring thee to life everlasting.' The choir then repeats the Confiteor and the priest replies 'Misereatur vestri....' 'May Almighty God have mercy upon you, forgive you your sins and bring you to life everlasting.'" Of course, in private recitation, or where two or three recite the Office, these prayers are said only once, and in the Confiteor, *tibi pater* and *te pater* are omitted, and *nostri, nostris, nos, nostrorum, nobis*, are said in the *Misereatur* and *Indulgentiam*.

... to be continued

IMPORTANT DATES

Nov. 10	Women's Day of Recollection
Dec. 15	Rorate Mass
Jan. 5	Christmas Party
Jan. 6	First Communion Registration Due
Jan. 13	First Communion Classes Begin
Jan. 26	Walk for Life - San Francisco

ANNOUNCEMENTS

First Communion. Classes will begin Sun., Jan. 13. Registration forms are now available in the Parish Office and Bookstore. They are due Jan. 6.

Fundraiser for Seminarian. Thank you to all who donated to Our Lady of Guadalupe Seminary! Our total raised was \$10,441.51.

A Requiem with catafalque for deceased Fraternity and Confraternity of St. Peter members will be offered at the 12:15 pm Mass on Mon., Nov. 5. Another such Mass will be offered on Nov. 8 at the 6:30 pm, for the deceased members of the Fraternity.

Fr. Savoie's Class will meet this Thurs., at 7:30 pm.

Women's Day of Recollection. It will be held on Sat., Nov. 10. Signup forms are now available in the vestibule. Please turn them in to the Parish Bookstore or Office.

The **Chesterton Society** will meet on Tues., Nov. 13.

Meeting of Volunteers for Social Events. On Sat., Nov. 17, we are inviting all volunteers of major events (the Christmas Party, First Communion & Confirmation receptions, the Pig Roast, and All Hallows' Eve Party) to meet and exchange ideas about organizing these events. People interested in helping to organize such events are kindly invited to join us. We will meet at 10:00 am in Classroom 3.

Brown Bag Lunch Food Drive. Thank you for your continued generous support of the Brown Bag Lunch Cathedral Program! Our St. Stephen's Society of St. Vincent de Paul will be sponsoring a food drive before and after the 8:00, 10:30, and 1:30 Masses on Sun., Nov. 18th to replenish our food pantry. We will be collecting the following types of food in the courtyard (please note: all food must be non-perishable and single serving): *tuna or chicken lunch packs, pouches, or pull-tab cans of meat; apple sauce cups or fruit cups; chips or peanut butter crackers/cheese; crackers, fig bars; desserts, like cookies or granola bars.* Cash donations will also be accepted. Please see examples of food items needed on display in the vestibule!

Firework Stand. Please contact Mike Solton (916-832-2859) if you know of a high traffic parking lot that we can use for a fundraiser.



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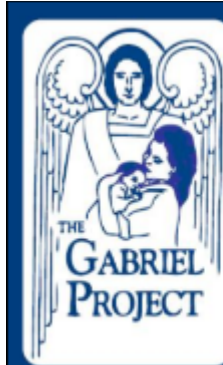


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